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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In reply to the non-final Office Action dated May 16, 2007, for which the time for reply has been extended three months to November 16, 2007 by an accompanying petition, please enter the following amendments in the consideration of the above patent application.

Amendment to the claims begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.